common access to databases, methods of work, exchange of officials and co-operation within international organisations;

- and with regard to mutual assistance:
 - the provision of information on request, including the carrying out of surveillance and enquiries and the spontaneous exchange of information on all matters related to the application of Canadian/Community customs legislation, including the exchange of enforcement information for the proper application of customs law and for the prevention and combating of customs offenses.
- (ii) They will establish, as much as possible, a common approach with regard to interpretation of the WTO Customs Valuation Code.
- (iii) They will exchange information with respect to value-added taxation systems in both Canada and the Community.

i) Anti-dumping and countervailing duties

They will work together towards the achievement of multilateral consensus in the interpretation and implementation of the WTO rules concerning antidumping and countervailing duties.

j) <u>Fisheries</u>

Noting:

- the Agreed Minute of 20 April 1995 and the subsequent adoption of its different elements in the NAFO context;
- Canada's decision to reopen its ports to EU-registered fishing vessels effective 21 June 1996 and that Canadian and EU enterprises can enter into joint commercial ventures:

They will follow up on the results of their bilateral fisheries negotiations of 1992 and 1995.